IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

BRIAN N. DRAKE,)
Petitioner,) The Honorable Robert E. Keeton
v.) Case No. 04-11426 REK
UBS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC.,)
Respondent.)

STIPULATION AND REQUEST FOR ORDER

Petitioner Brian N. Drake ("Drake") and Respondent UBS Financial Services Inc. ("UBS"), for their Stipulation and Request for Order, reached after conferring pursuant to L.R. 7.1, state as follows:

- 1. On May 20, 2004, Drake filed his Complaint and Application to Vacate ("Complaint") captioned "Brian N. Drake v. UBS Financial Services Inc.," Civil Case No. 04-00290 in the Barnstable County Superior Court, Massachusetts.
- 2. On June 10, 2004, William Jacobson, Drake's counsel, agreed to extend the time for UBS to answer or otherwise plead to the Complaint.
 - 3. On June 22, 2004, UBS removed Drake's action to this Court.
- 4. UBS intended to file a motion to dismiss Drake's Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Fed.R.Civ.P. for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted.
- 5. Pursuant to L.R. 7.1, prior to filing such motion, counsel for UBS conferred with Drake's counsel and the parties agreed as follows: (1) Due to difficulties in obtaining transcription of the hearing transcript, Drake may have an extension to file an Amended Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate on or before August 20, 2004, while reserving all

rights as to the sufficiency of the Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate; and (2) UBS is excused from answering or otherwise pleading in response to the Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate, while reserving all rights, defenses, affirmative defenses and counter-claims thereto.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Brian N. Drake and Respondent UBS Financial Services Inc. respectfully request that the Court enter an Order accepting this Stipulation and ordering that (1) Drake may file an Amended Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate on or before August 20, 2004, while reserving all rights as to the sufficiency of the Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate; and (2) UBS is excused from answering or otherwise pleading in response to the Complaint and Application (Motion) to Vacate, while reserving all rights, defenses, affirmative defenses and counter-claims thereto.

Respectfully submitted:

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Certificate Of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that on July_____, 2004, he caused a copy of the foregoing Stipulation and Request for Order to be served upon:

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by facsimile and placing true copies of same in a properly addressed, postage prepaid envelope and causing that envelope to be deposited in the United States Mail at 60, Boston, Massachusetts.

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